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Dear Sir or Madam:

Please – if your goal is to reduce the risk of Salmonella in eggs, why are you missing the primary source?

Stop allowing farmers to use forced molting procedures with their hens. This starvation of hens reduces their immune system, thus allowing disease & infection, including Salmonella, to flourish.

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Your own studies showed this to be true!

Sincerely,

Susan Brumbelow

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